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SUBJ: UPPER HOUSE HOLDS ANOTHER EXTRAORDINARY SESSION

REF: SAIGON 16672

THE UPPER HOUSE CONVENED ANOTHER EXTRAORDINARY SESSION SEPT 25, THE THIRD OF THE CURRENT RECESS PERIOD, TO PASS TWO TECHNICAL BILLS RELATING TO COPYRIGHTS AND MARINE PRODUCTS. THE HOUSE ALSO PASSED A PROPOSAL OF AN OPPOSITION SENATOR TO PAY SENATORS WHO HAD NOT GONE OVERSEAS DURING THE YEAR MONEY EQUIVALENT TO THE SUMS GIVEN TO SENATORS WHO HAD TRAVELED ABROAD ON OFFICIAL TRIPS. THIS PROPOSAL WAS AIMED AT THE EXECUTIVE'S TENDENCY TO REFUSE EXIT VISAS TO OPPOSITION AND INDEPENDENT SENATORS. THE RATIONALE WAS THAT SENATORS STAYING IN VIETNAM DESERVE REIMBURSE MENT FOR POLITICAL ACTIVITIES AT HOME AS MUCH AS THOSE WHO CONDUCT POLITICAL WORK FOR THEIR COUNTRY OVERSEAS. THE PROPOSAL MET STRONG OBJECTIONS FROM SEVERAL SENATORS, BUT IT PASSED BY A VOTE OF 18 TO 9.
COMMENT: THE REIMBURSEMENT PROPOSAL IN AN EXTENSION OF THE
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RESOLUTION ON SENATORS' RIGHTS PASSED SEPT 19 (SEE REFTEL).

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THE UPPER HOUSE OPPOSITION IS USING EVERY OPPORTUNITY TO GET IN
ITS LAST LICKS BEFORE ITS POWER RECEDES OCTOBER 1, WHEN 31
NEWLY ELECTED SENATORS TAKE OFFICE.
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